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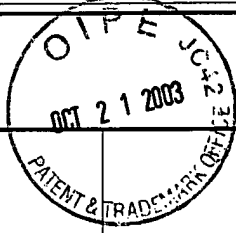
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# COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)

Docket No.  
1340-1-021CIP2 (SJ-0015)

In Re Application Of: Sorrentino and Schuetz



Serial No.  
09/866,866

Filing Date  
May 29, 2001

Examiner  
Qian J. Li

Group Art Unit  
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Invention: **METHOD OF IDENTIFYING AND/OR ISOLATING STEM CELLS AND PROGNOSING  
RESPONSIVENESS TO LEUKEMIA**

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## TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of May 21, 2003 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☒ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: August 22, 2003  
*Date*

until: October 21, 2003  
*Date*

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.  
☒ has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

### CLAIMS AS AMENDED

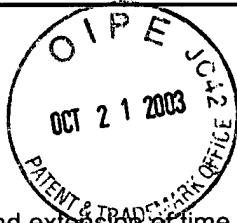
|  | CLAIMS REMAINING<br>AFTER AMENDMENT | HIGHEST #<br>PREV. PAID FOR | NUMBER EXTRA<br>CLAIMS PRESENT | RATE      | ADDITIONAL<br>FEE |
|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------|-------------------|
| TOTAL CLAIMS   | 10 -                                | 20 =                        | 0                              | x \$9.00  | \$0.00            |
| INDEP. CLAIMS  | 2 -                                 | 3 =                         | 0                              | x \$43.00 | \$0.00            |
| FEE FOR AMENDMENT                                    |                                     |                             |                                |           | \$0.00            |
| FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME                            |                                     |                             |                                |           | \$210.00          |
| <b>TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME</b> |                                     |                             |                                |           | <b>\$210.00</b>   |

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of **\$210.00** for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. **50-1619** in the amount of **\$210.00**
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **50-1619**
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-1619**

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Dated: **October 21, 2003**

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on \_\_\_\_\_ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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